



Media Information

Columbus Division of Police

Date: March 16, 2019

Crimes Against Persons Bureau / Homicide Unit

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Type of Offense/Incident: Homicide

Date: March 15, 2019 Time: 10:34 PM

Location of Offense/Incident: 4098 Raft Lane

Zone: 2

Precinct: 20

Incident Report #: 190205344

Cruiser District: 200

Victim: Veronica Madison Lee

Sex: F

Race: B

Age: 19

Victim:

Sex:

Race:

Age:

Victim:

Sex:

Race:

Age:

Suspect: Loren F.T. Williamson

Address: 4098 Raft Lane

43207

☐ Arrested

☐ Warrant on File

Sex: M

Race: B

Age: 19

Charges:

Suspect:

Address:

☐ Arrested

☐ Warrant on File

Sex:

Race:

Age:

Charges:

Incident Summary: On March 15, 2019, at approximately 10:34 p.m., Columbus Police Officers were summoned to 4098 Raft Lane on the report of a shooting. Upon arrival, Officers found two unresponsive victims in an upstairs bedroom, both suffering from gunshot wounds. C.F.D. Medic 171 arrived at the scene and pronounced both victims deceased at 10:48 p.m.

Initial investigation has revealed that the suspect and victim had been involved in a relationship for some time and scene evidence indicates that the suspect, later identified as Loren F.T. Williamson shot the victim, later identified as Veronica Madison Lee, causing her death. Seconds later, it appears Mr. Williamson then took his own life.

The investigation continues.

This is the 21st Homicide in Columbus, Ohio in Calendar Year 2019. Incident #190205344. Detective Kathy Zimmer is the lead on the case being assisted by Det. Harry Conley II.

Anyone with information regarding this incident, is asked to call the Columbus Police Homicide Unit at (614) 645-4730 or Central Ohio Crime Stoppers at (614) 461-TIPS.

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